

## **NOTICE OF INTENDED ATRS BOARD ACTION**

At a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System (ATRS) to be held at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 7, 2006, at 1400 West Third Street, Room 300, Little Rock, Arkansas 72201, the Board, pursuant to its authority under A.C.A. §§ 24-7-201—1409, will consider adoption of certain amendments to the System's policies, rules, and regulations. The amendments revise Rule No. 9-1 (Age and Service "Voluntary" Retirement: Section H. Annuity Options); Rule No. 11-1 (Survivor Benefits), and Rule No. 11-2 (Lump-Sum Death Benefit) to implement the provisions of Act 494 of 2005 and to clarify and make more complete the existing rules concerning the death of a member or a retiree.

Interested persons may submit their views orally by calling 1-501-682-1827 or in writing to the Executive Director, ATRS, at the above address. Views should be received no later than January 30, 2006. Requests for oral hearing in accordance with A.C.A. § 25-15-204 should be submitted no later than 20 days prior to the meeting for placement on the agenda.

The proposed amendments may be viewed on the ATRS website <http://www.atrs.state.ar.us/> under "What's New" or copies may be obtained by contacting the Executive Director's office at 1-501-682-1827. The current policies may also be reviewed on the ATRS website under "What's New" or at the ATRS office Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.